

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE
DISTRICT OF VERMONT

COURTHOUSE NEWS SERVICE; VERMONT)
PRESS ASSOCIATION, INC.; NEW ENGLAND)
FIRST AMENDMENT COALITION; GRAY)
MEDIA GROUP, INC. d/b/a WCAX-TV;)
GANNETT VERMONT PUBLISHING, INC.)
d/b/a *Burlington Free Press*; SAMPLE NEWS)
GROUP, LLC d/b/a *Barre-Montpelier Times*)
Argus and *Rutland Herald*; *VT Digger*, a project of)
the VERMONT JOURNALISM TRUST, LTD.;)
VERMONT COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER)
GROUP, LLC d/b/a *Stowe Reporter, News &*)
Citizen, South Burlington Other Paper, Shelburne)
News, and *The Citizen*; and DA CAPO)
PUBLISHING, INC. d/b/a *Seven Days*,)

Case No. 21-cv-00132-cr

Plaintiffs)

v.)

TERI CORSONES, in her official capacity as the)
State Court Administrator of the Supreme Court of)
the State of Vermont; AMANDA STITES, in her)
official capacity as Clerk of Court for Addison,)
Bennington, and Rutland Counties; MARGARET)
VILLENEUVE, in her official capacity as Clerk of)
Court for Caledonia, Essex, Orleans, and)
Washington Counties; CHRISTINE BROCK, in)
her official capacity as Clerk of Court for)
Chittenden County; GAYE PAQUETTE, in her)
official capacity as Clerk of Court for Franklin,)
Grand Isle, and Lamoille Counties; and ANNE)
DAMONE, in her official capacity as Clerk of)
Court for Orange, Windham, and Windsor)
Counties,)

Defendants)

JOINT PROPOSED BRIEFING SCHEDULE

The parties have conferred pursuant to the Court's amended judgment dated September 5, 2025 (Doc. 95), and reached agreement on the following briefing schedule to address Plaintiffs' claims for attorneys' fees and costs:

- October 17, 2025 – Deadline for Plaintiffs to file motion.
- November 18, 2025 – Deadline for Defendants to file opposition to motion.
- December 9, 2025 – Deadline for Plaintiffs to file reply in support of motion.

Concurrent with the filing of the motion, Plaintiffs will withdraw the previously-filed motion for attorneys' fees (Doc. 67) so that Plaintiffs' claims for all district court and appellate fees incurred to date can be addressed in the motion to be filed on October 17, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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